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# Production Cost Modeling Exploratory Scenario Analysis to Inform Future Modeling Efforts

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California Energy Commission



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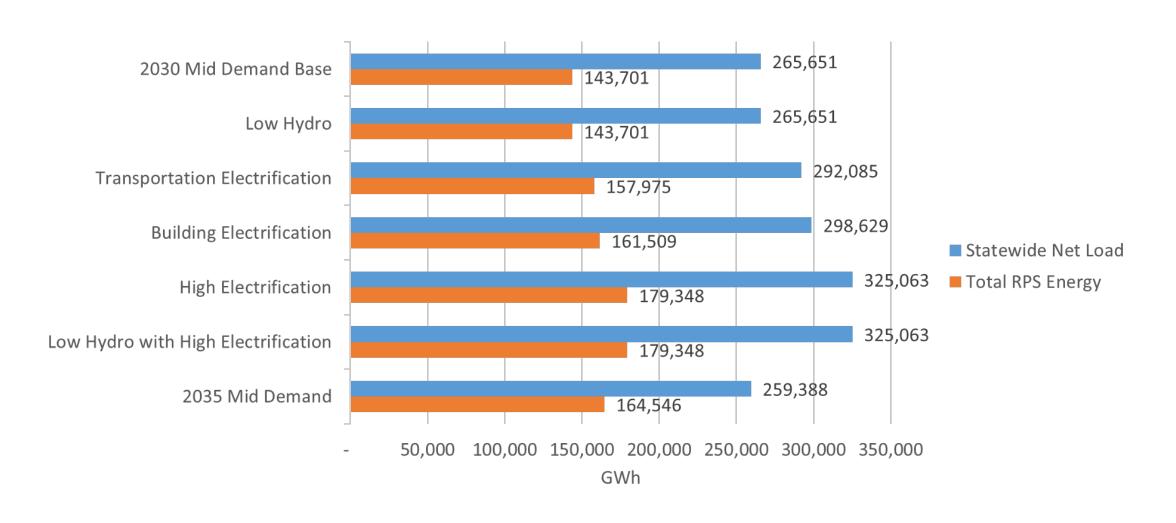


### **IEPR 2019 Base Case Assumptions**

- 60% by 2030
- CED Forecast Update 2018-2030
- Existing renewables & planned retirements
- 2,100 MW of additional battery storage
- 75% renewable energy must come from in-state
- WECC-wide RPS policies as of 12/31/2018
- 10-year average hydro profile

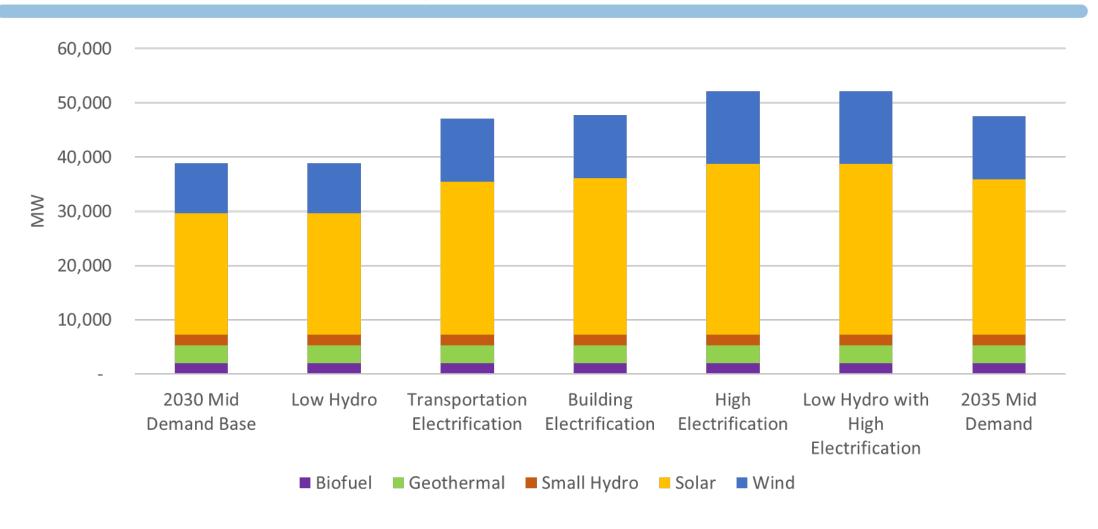


# **Exploratory Scenario Assumptions: Statewide Net Load, RPS Energy**





# Total Renewable Capacity by Resource Type





### **Assumption Changes**

Scenario	RPS Target	Additional Battery Storage
2030 Mid Demand Base	60%	0
Low Hydro	60%	0
Transportation Electrification	60%	0
Building Electrification	60%	1,221
High Electrification	60%	0
Low Hydro with High Electrification	60%	0
2035 Mid Demand	70%	0



### Minimum of Reserve Margins

Scenario	Min of RM	Hour of Min RM
2030 Mid Demand Base	15.5%	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Low Hydro	17.3%	8/19/30 7:00 PM
Transportation Electrification	11.0%	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Building Electrification*	15.2%	9/3/30 6:00 PM
High Electrification	10.5%	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Low Hydro with High Electrification	13.8%	7/25/30 8:00 PM
2035 Mid Demand	12.5%	9/13/35 6:00 PM



### Reserve Margins at Maximum Load

Scenario	RM at Max Load	Max of Load (MW)	Hour of Max Load RM
2030 Mid Demand Base	15.5%	55,511	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Low Hydro	17.9%	55,516	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Transportation Electrification	14.6%	57,931	9/3/30 8:00 PM
Building Electrification*	15.2%	58,345	9/3/30 6:00 PM
High Electrification	10.5%	60,658	9/3/30 6:00 PM
Low Hydro with High Electrification	14.0%	60,651	9/3/30 6:00 PM
2035 Mid Demand	15.9%	55,287	9/3/35 6:00 PM

California total peak net import limit assumption = 13,100 MW



2200

2000

1800

1600

### **Reserve Margins**

2000

1800 1600

1400

1200

1000

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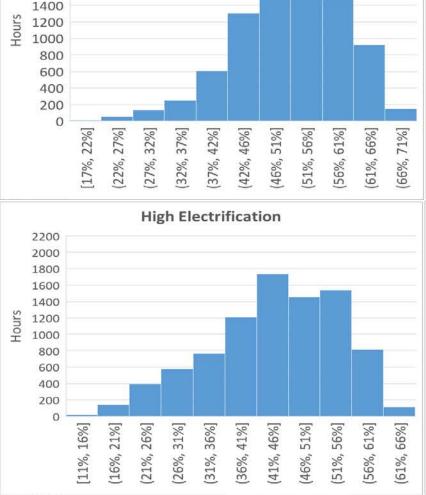
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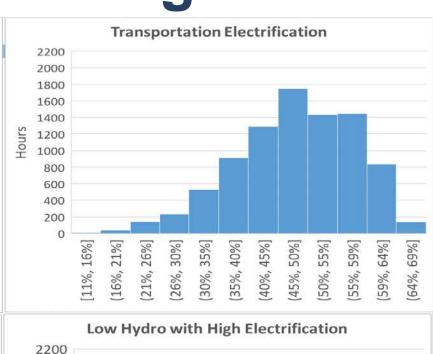
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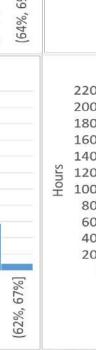
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Low Hydro





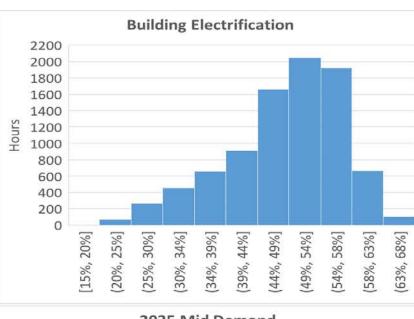
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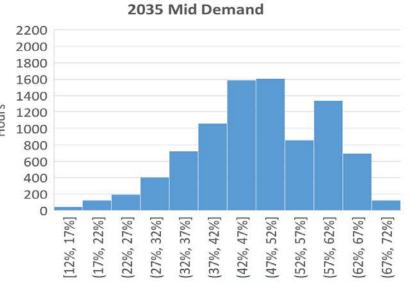
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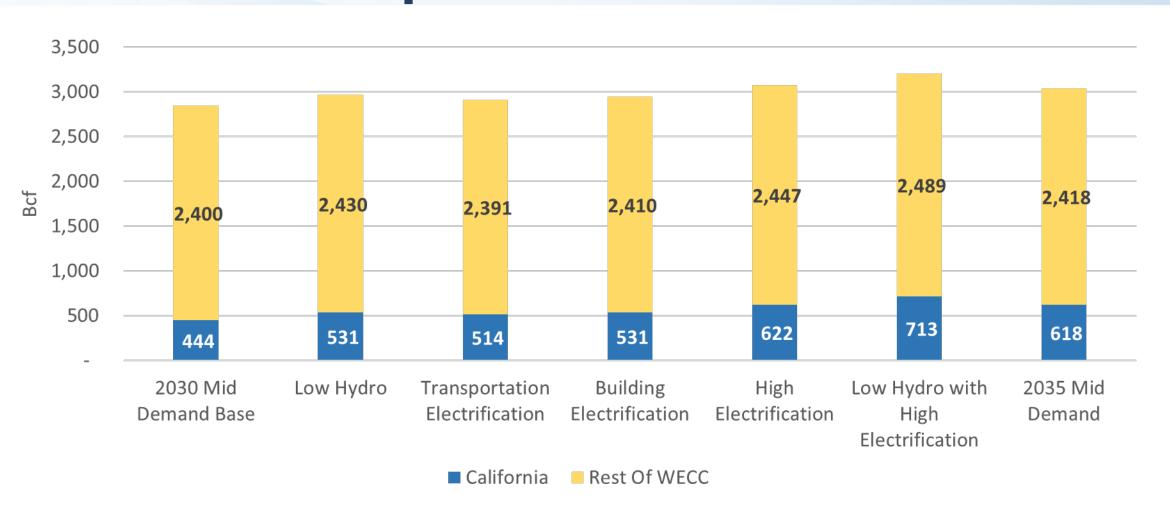
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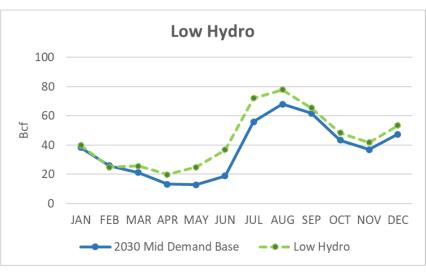


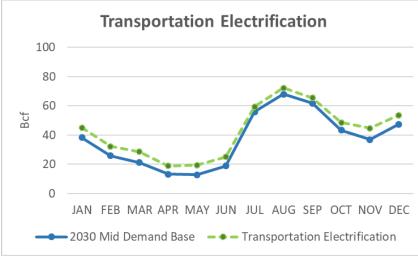
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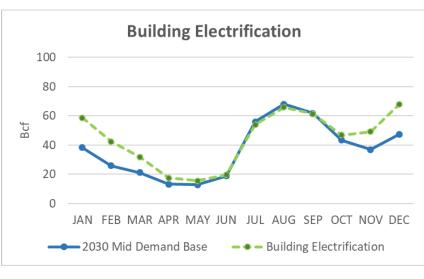


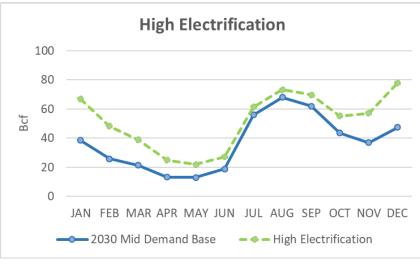


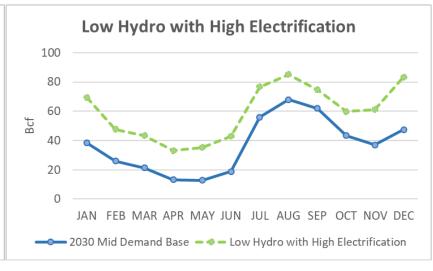
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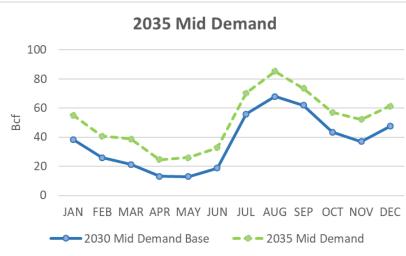






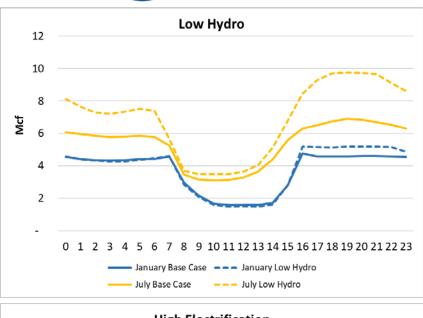


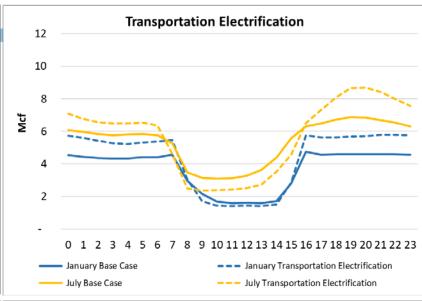


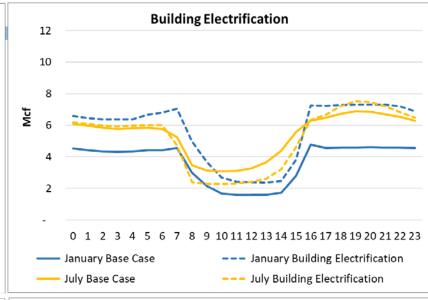


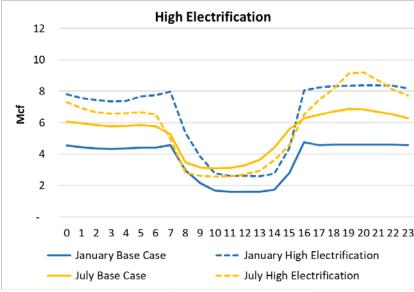


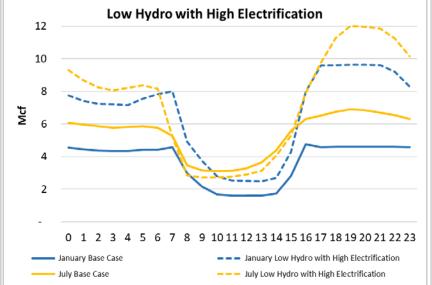
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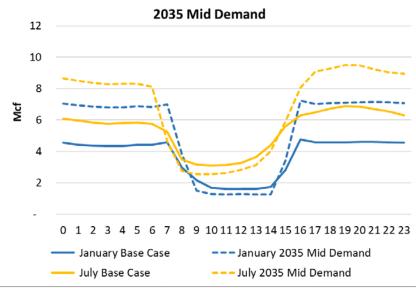












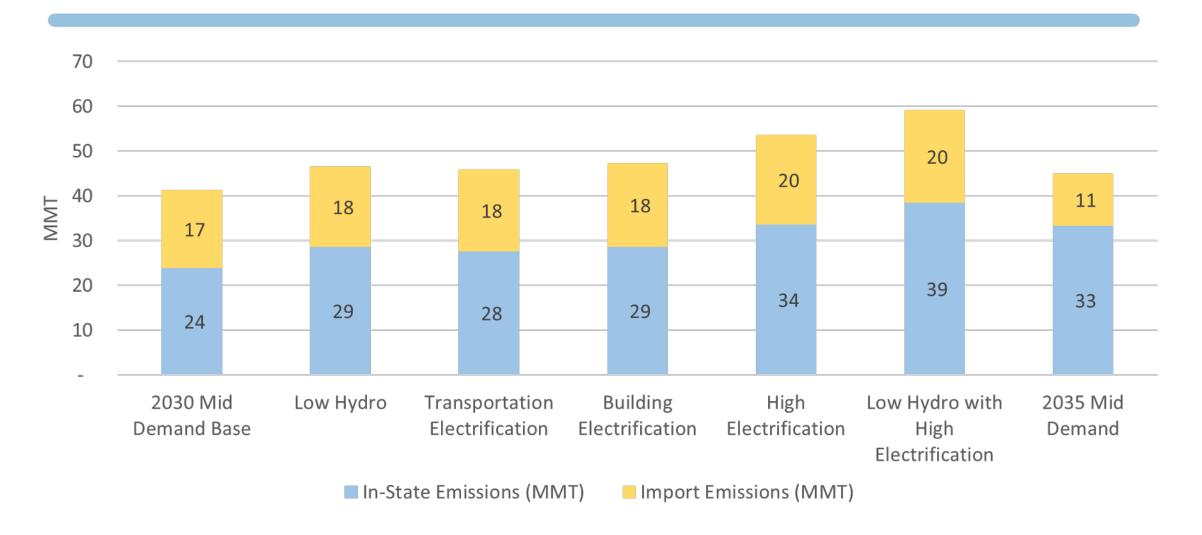


# **California Emission Intensity**

Scenario	Emission Intensity (MMT/MWh)
2030 Mid Demand Base	0.15
Low Hydro	0.17
Transportation Electrification	0.15
Building Electrification	0.15
High Electrification	0.16
Low Hydro with High Electrification	0.17
2035 Mid Demand	0.16



#### **California Emissions**





## **California Emission Intensity**

Scenario	Net Imports to California (GWh)
2030 Mid Demand Base	54%
Low Hydro	50%
Transportation Electrification	46%
Building Electrification	46%
High Electrification	44%
Low Hydro with High Electrification	41%
2035 Mid Demand	23%



#### **Questions and Comments:**

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